

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Hisao Tanaka, et al.  
Serial No. : 10/524,227  
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For : RECORDING CONTROL APPARATUS AND METHOD,  
PROGRAM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM  
Examiner : Nguyen, Linh Thi  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on August 1, 2007, Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension-of-time, extending the period for response to January 2, 2008 (January 1, 2008 being a Holiday). Applicants submit herewith an electronic payment in

the amount of \$460.00 as payment of the extension-of-time fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.